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Mr. Hoffman read letters of regret
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...the Grave.
A startling incident is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, my tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50c, guaranteed at L. & Wither- spoon's drug store.

The Robinson Thermal bath cabinet opens the pores of the skin and sweats all the poison and impurities out of the blood. Physicians recommend it for the cure of rheumatism, la grippe, colds, kidney, blood, and skin diseases, etc. Every disease can be cured or benefited. Take one trial, price \$3.50 to \$12.50. E. F. Earl, state agent. Call at Higbee House, or write. Agents wanted.

NOTICE.
On and after October 25, 1899, we will discontinue giving silverware trading stamps, also the distribution of premiums for the C. B. Barker manufacturing company from our store. Parties having books full will please present them before that time as there will be no premiums to distribute later than this date. **ENDERS & YOUNG.**
Benton Harbor, Sept. 15. 1224

Heck Court Sewer Notice.
Notice is hereby given that the plat and diagram, profile, specifications, etc., and an estimate of the cost of constructing the proposed sewer in and along Heck Court street, in the city of Benton Harbor, have been recorded in the office of the city clerk of said city, add that the city council and board of public works will meet at the city hall on Monday, October 2, 1899, at 8 o'clock p. m., and will, at that time consider any suggestions or objections that may be made by parties interested, with respect to such proposed sewer.
Dated Benton Harbor, Mich., September 19, 1899.
R. P. CHADDOCK,
City Clerk.

Flags and Bunting.
We have a good stock of flags and bunting and you need both for the carnival. Call at DeWitt's 5, 10 and 25c store.

Saturday Night Dance.
Dancing at King's Landing every Saturday night. All people of good character invited. Buckman & Calvin's full orchestra. 26t210

Want to Learn Telegraphy?
I will receive a limited number of students in telegraphy October 1. Students fitted for positions.
A. A. RIGTER, Coloma, Mich. 26t219
Joseph Stockford, Hodgdon, Me., healed a sore running for seventeen years and cured his piles of long standing by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures all skin diseases. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

WINTER... WINTER

Everybody seems to steer direct to the WHITE HOUSE STORE this fall. It goes to show that they must have the best stock of fall and winter goods ever shown in Benton Harbor, and the prices, oh my, so low that any little child can reach them.

Men's suits, from	\$21 up.
Men's beaver overcoats, from	30.00
Boys' suits, from	1.00
Boys' overcoats, from	1.00
Boys' pants from	1.00
Ladies' golf capes from	2.98
Ladies' plush capes from	2.98
Ladies' plush jackets from	9.48
Ladies' and misses' jackets from	2.48
Ladies' cloth fall capes from	.69
Extra large bed blankets per pair	.48c
Extra large bed comforts each	.98c
Good horse blankets each	.98c

All wool fall shirt waists	.98c
Silk and satin shirt waists	3.98
Ladies' dress skirts from	1.48
Ladies' white skirts from	.69
Good cotton batten from	.48
Good heavy sheeting from	.15
Good bleached muslin from	.15
Good cotton toweling from	.30
Good all linen crash from	.50
Good outing flannel from	.50
Good prints from	.48
Good beaver shawls from	2.48

Great stock of hats for men, women and children.
Hats and Caps, Gloves, and Floor Oil Cloth, Trunks, Valises, Etc.

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Does Coffee Agree With You?
If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c. and 25c.

Physicians and citizens of Hot Springs, Arkansas and Battle Creek, buy and endorse our cabinets, the only cabinet used by physicians.
E. F. Earl, general state agent of the Robinson thermal bath cabinet, during his brief sojourn here sold sixteen of those useful appliances to leading physicians and families. The editor can testify of the merits of these cabinets, having used one in his home. They are worth ten times the price paid. J. L. Wadley, editor Arkansas Hot Springs Daily News.

WANTED.
A lady canvasser wanted to sell Robinson Thermal Bath Cabinets. They sell upon their merit. Good wages paid. E. F. Earl general state agent, call at Higbee House, or write.
Old papers for sale at this office.

For Carnival Week

We have made special arrangements for your comfort during this week. More than this we have brought on some bright new goods for you in all our departments. You should not fail to look us over before you purchase, as we can always help you and give you ideas. Our stock is newer now than it has been for years.

Dress Goods

In black crepons we are showing the latest effects from \$1 per yard up. In the heavy weights for skirts and suits we offer the latest styles and shades, including homespun, golfinis, cheviot, marlbors, swell plaids, venetians, broad cloths, clay worsteds and novelties of all descriptions.

Golf Capes and Jacket

Special inducements for you this week. We have purchased every golf cape we can buy for this week and will be prepared to show you an excellent line. In Jackets we have all the new things. We have the best jacket made for \$10.

Furs

We have enlisted the services of one of the largest furriers in the business and he will represent his entire line here during this week. There will be more swell capes, collarettes and storm collars on exhibition during those 4 days than are usually carried in Benton Harbor all winter, at all prices from \$1.75 up.

Cotton Blanket

A good, heavy, full size blanket for 47c per pair.

Underwear

Ask to see the new fleece lined stuff—away below value.

Check Rooms

We have made arrangements to care for all your goods during the carnival. Whether you buy them here, or not bring them on and we will take care of them for you.

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You need wagons sometimes. We have them always. Just now we are offering a number of two-seat surries that will be sold very cheap. All our work guaranteed first-class and prices low. Call and see them.

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Light Extra C. Sugar	1.00	Ginger Snaps, per lb.	.05
per lb	.06	Crackers, per lb.	.05
Baking Powder, per lb	.10	Soapine, 2 packages for	.05
qual. white can rubbers, doz.	.05	Armour's Washing Powder, 2 for	.05
ly Whitefish, per lb.	.25	4 lbs. Cottolene	.25
s Peas	.25	Tumblers, each	.02
s Corn	.25	Jelly Glasses, per doz.	.18
s Sardines	.25	Pint Fruit Cans, per doz.	.30
s Red Alaska Salmon	.25	1 Quart Fruit Cans, per doz.	.48
Pineapple	.12	2 Quart Fruit Cans, per doz.	.55
Cleaner Soap	.25		

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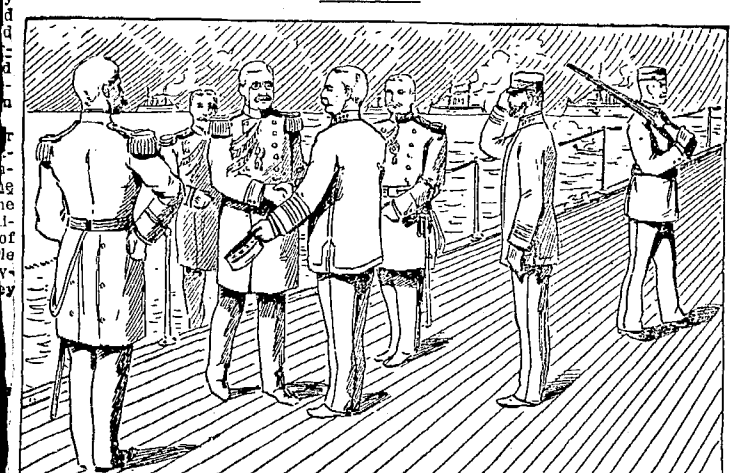
Over on the display was just a blaze of fireworks, making the surrounding sea as bright as midday. Brooklyn and Staten Island contributed to the general and generous burning of powder.

ALMOST A PANIC.

Intense Excitement on New Orleans Cotton Exchange Caused by Sudden Advance.

New Orleans, Sept. 30.—The wildest panic ever witnessed on the floor of the New Orleans cotton exchange occurred Friday shortly after business opened and caused in the midst of the intense excitement the complete suspension of future business, pending the investigation of what, at the moment, was assumed to be a gigantic conspiracy to wrangle the cotton exchanges of the country. The panic was due to an apparent terrific jump in the price of cotton, based on alleged Liverpool advances, and it was roughly estimated that \$170,000 had been lost on local transactions as a result. Later in the day the exchange, after receiving legal advice, declared null and void all future transactions of the day. This action, however, promises to be bitterly contested, and litigation is likely to be the final outcome. Future business here will not be resumed until Monday. The market at Liverpool opened 3-32d lower on spots and 4-64 down on deliveries as compared with Thursday's values and continued without material change for some time. Then the wires became hot with tales of rapidly advancing prices. They started up one-half of a sixty-fourth at a time first and then jumped 1-64, 1 1/2-64, 2-64 and 1 1/2-64 in quick order until the net advance up to 9:45, local time, showed 11-64.

DEWEY AND ROOSEVELT CLASP HANDS.



(From a Picture Telegraphed from New York to the Times-Herald.)

meantime New Orleans had advanced 21 to 24 points higher than Thursday evening's closing and quickly climbed 30 points additional. Then the explosion came. With an unaccountable advance of 54 points facing them, operators began to receive telegrams from Liverpool asking the reason for the heavy gain in prices in his market and stating that values in the English market still stood about at the opening figures. These cable advances, in the face of from 40,000 to 50,000 bales sold and purchased, threw the operators into a frenzy of excitement, and they surged, shouting, yelling and speculating about the ring as President Parker rushed to his desk and summoned without the usual formalities a meeting of the exchange. Amid tumultuous scenes a motion to suspend business was gasped out by a wildly excited broker, and with a tremendous cry it was unanimously carried. Friday is the first time in its history of 30 years that the New Orleans cotton exchange has been compelled to suspend business. During the panic of 1893 a similar attempt to suspend was made, but failed. The exchange took the ground then that suspension would injure it in the markets of the world. The directors feel that Friday's suspension was unavoidable and excusable.

Off for Manila.

San Francisco, Sept. 30.—Three transports will sail to-day for Manila. They are the Charles Nelson, Glenogle and Sheridan. The Sheridan will carry the thirty-third regiment, three companies of the Thirty-second and 75 recruits. Glenogle will carry seven companies of the Thirty-second and the companies of the same command.

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TO TAKE THE FIELD.

Commanders of Boer Troops Receive Important Orders.

MUCH EXCITEMENT IN JOHANNESBURG

Hostilities Apparently Will Commence Soon—Great Military Activity in the Transvaal—Latest British Demands.

Johannesburg, Sept. 30.—There is great excitement in consequence of orders to the commanders to take the field. Dispatch riders have gone to the frontier.

Rumors are current that the Boers will take the initiative Monday on the border east and west of Charlestown.

Durban, Natal, Sept. 30.—The summoning of the volunteers has caused widespread excitement. The men responded readily, and 800 troops, with numerous guns, will entrain to-day.

Cape Town, Sept. 30.—A telegram from Volksrust says it is reported that the Boers intend to take up a position at Schinosis Hogte, falling back on Laing's Nek if forced to do so.

Hostilities May Come Soon.

London, Sept. 30.—Indications lead to the belief that, in view of the cabinet message, the Boers will probably commit an overt act which will bring on hostilities before the assembling of parliament. All the latest dispatches from the Transvaal show the liveliest activity on the part of the burghers. Telegrams from Pretoria announce that artillery is being rapidly loaded at the station for the front and military trains have preference on all lines. The Cape mail is delayed in consequence of the large amount of rolling stock reserved

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for the forces. A large body of burghers left Thursday for this order and another for Middelburg. Attachments of cyclists are being distributed among the different commanders. It is understood that the first contingent of the Pretoria force will leave for the eastern border to-day.

The Britons Preparing.

London, Sept. 30.—Officers at Woolwich believe that an army corps will be started for South Africa about October 7, with Gen. Sir Redvers Buller. There appears to be unusual excitement in the admiralty departments. Mr. George J. Goschen, first lord of the admiralty, was busily engaged there for the greater part of the day. It is rumored that unexpected complications have arisen and that extensive preparations are to be made to guard against contingencies.

British Proposals.

London, Sept. 30.—The meeting of the British cabinet, on whose deliberations, practically, hangs war or peace in South Africa, began at one o'clock Friday afternoon. President Kruger's reply to the last note of the imperial government has now been received and was the pivot of discussion.

The cabinet adjourned at 3:15 p. m. The ministers were heartily cheered by the waiting crowds.

It is said from Boer sources that Mr. Chamberlain's proposals submitted to the cabinet include an indemnity for the cost of sending out troops, the disarmament of the Transvaal forts, the suppression of Dr. Leyd's legation, judicative and legislative independence for the judges, the equality of the English and Dutch languages and full and complete admission of the supremacy of British interests throughout South Africa.

In a few words, the position, as left by Friday's cabinet council, is that President Kruger has been given another breathing space and that another council will be called next week, probably Tuesday, to give final consent to the dispatch which Lord Salisbury and Mr. Chamberlain are engaged in drafting and which will formulate the British demands.

Russia's Attitude.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 30.—Discussing attitude of Germany in regard to Transvaal crisis, the Russia says: "An open question as to whether diplomacy on the basis of The conference may not make the point of recommending that Britain and the Transvaal have recourse to a court of arbitration. In the hostile feeling against them, it is very possible that volunteers from Europe will aid the Boers, as Russian aid Serbia. If Great Britain prevents such a move, perhaps, will speak a decided word."

Advanced.

Sept. 30.—Four the New River field advance Friday.

HER LITTLE SCHEME.

It Made Her Husband Happy for the Rest of His Life.

How Robert Marigold Lost His Better Half, a Woman Whose Jealousy Had Made Everybody Uncomfortable.

Mrs. Maria Marigold would have been a happier woman if she had not been so suspicious of her husband. He, good, honest soul, gave her no cause for jealousy—he was, in fact, a quiet, sleepy, steady-going man—and yet she could not bear him even to glance at another woman.

She had pretty servants, says the Cincinnati Enquirer, because she thought that Robert had better be attracted by a pretty face within her domain than out of it, and she was furiously suspicious because he was never out late.

"He's running after those girls," she said to herself a score of times an hour; and yet, although she watched both her husband and them very closely, she never saw the slightest sign of familiarity.

"Still waters run deep," she said to him, and he innocently asked her if she thought it was correct, as he had noticed that the water in the aml, io was both still and shallow.

He had a great respect for her, but this time she did not try to explain, but walked away, and a scornful sniff remarked:

"It is easy to turn the conversation when it's not to your liking, isn't it?" "Really, Maria, I don't know what you mean," he said.

"Don't want to know," she snapped as a parting shot, and for the rest of the evening watched his every movement through the keyhole.

He took up a book and began to read, and did not put it down until nearly midnight, and this made her more suspicious than ever. So when he was asleep she stole down into the drawing-



WATCHED THROUGH THE KEYHOLE.

room and found the book, and commenced to read it.

It was the "Ingoldsby Legends," and she did not find much to feed her jealousy in it until she came to a little tale that told of a lady dying of quinsy, and as soon as her husband thought her too far gone to recover he offered marriage to her maid.

"This is what fascinates the brute," she thought. "He wishes me to die like that poor dear seemed to be doing, and then he'd marry again. The low, cunning, deceitful wretch," and weeping at the thought she went upstairs and woke poor Robert up with her wild sobs. Then she thought out a plan, and next day kept to her bed, saying that she was very ill. The doctor could not find the seat of the illness, but the lady rapidly became worse, and insisted on Jane, the prettiest of her maids, and her husband being always in the room with her.

"Now," she told herself, "as soon as he thinks I'm too far gone to recover, he'll propose to the minx, or at least make love to her," and that evening she lay apparently unconscious.

By and by her husband came and looked into her face and shook his head and then called Jane. They tried to arouse her, but she took no heed.

"It's all over, Jane, I'm afraid," he said, with a sigh.

"Poor dear, yes," sighed Jane.

"She was a very good wife to me in a way," he said.

Mrs. Marigold listened intently.

"And a very good mistress, too, sir," said Jane.

"Only terribly jealous," he said.

"And dreadfully prying," said Jane.

"Ah, Jane," he said, "I shall never marry again."

"Oh, in good time, sir," said Jane, and Mrs. Marigold's ears turned with anger.

"Not for all the money in the world," he said; she's been a lesson to me," and then Mrs. Marigold sprang up in bed, but instead of, like the lady in the "Ingoldsby Legends," reviving with the shock, she died, the staying in bed and fasting having weakened an overstrained heart.

And Robert Marigold, true to his word, never married, and lived happily ever after.

Negroes Run This Village.

Oberton is a village in the Choctaw nation, Indian territory, of about 500 inhabitants, all of whom are colored. The postmaster is a colored man, the notary public is colored, and there is a colored marshal. The town has not yet been incorporated, but likely will be soon, when the entire set of officers will be colored.

An Accommodating Couple.

The most accommodating people in the world live at Hutchinson, Kan. A young couple down there got up at midnight, and were married a week ahead of the announced time, in order to accommodate some friends who had been suddenly called away.

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"I can say with a clear conscience that Johnson's Kidney Pills have cured my son of as bad a case of inflammation of the bladder complicated with kidney trouble as I have ever heard of. I had taken them myself for diabetes, and their good effects prompted me to give them to my son when the doctor's medicine did not appear to be helping him. We saw such an improvement that we decided to drop the doctor and depend entirely on Johnson's Kidney Pills, and thank God that we did, for he is now a hale, hearty young man again, able to do a day's work with the best. You may refer to me at any time, and I shall feel it my duty to always recommend such a valuable medicine."—John T. Jasper, 814 Spruce street, Camden, N. J.

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WANTED—THREE OR FOUR UNFURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. Call at the Evening News office. #1232

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WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED CLOTHING and dry goods salesman. White House store. C. & J. Scherer #1234

WANTED—A COMPETENT MAN TO work on a fruit farm. Apply to Mrs. Dobbin, one mile north on lake shore road. #1238

WANTED—GOOD EXPERIENCED GIRL for general housework. Enquire Mrs. George M. Bell, corner Pipestone and Britain avenue. #1239

WANTED—LOCAL AND COUNTRY LADY agents, business pleasant and profitable. Call afterwards this week or write, 158 Brunson avenue, A. E. Mulberger. #1232

WANTED—WE WISH A LIVE TRAVELING manager in your territory as man or woman; liberal cash and commission first year—more second year, if deserved. Come for local work also; good references required; those out of employment or wishing to better themselves, address "Factory," corner Perkins and Union streets, Akron, Ohio. #1242

WANTED—AT ONCE, 2 COOKS, 5 WAITERS and 1 dishwasher, must be experienced. Apply at Windsor c-fo. #1231

LOST.

LOST—A MARTIN COLLAR. GO TO MRS. Ed. Nichols and receive reward. 158 Pleasant street. #2346

LOST—A BROWN LEATHER POCKET book containing about \$3.50 and some calling cards. Finder please return to 110 Union street. #2346

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FOR RENT—BRAND NEW HOUSE. JUST completed, desirable locality. Inquire of Homer B. Smith, 142 Lake avenue. #2346

FOR RENT—ONE LARGE ROOM OVER Van Horn's dry goods store. Inquire of Mrs. P. M. Kinaay, 245 Pipestone street. #2356

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FOR SALE—FRUIT FARM. WOULD EXCHANGE for city property. Also a tip top drying horse, wagon and harness. Would take good cow in part payment. W. Kent, 137 Cedar street. #1239

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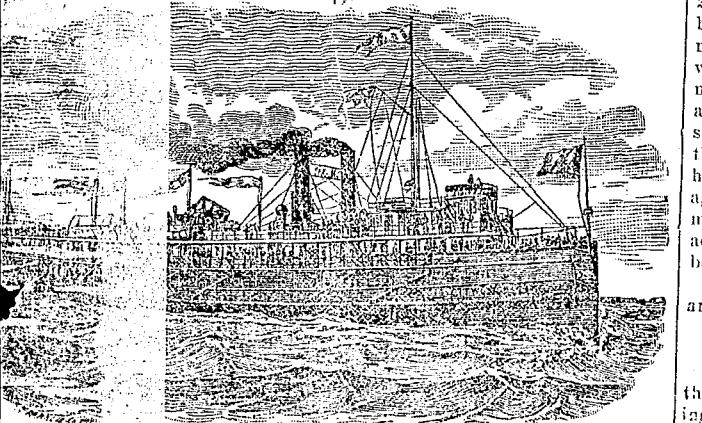
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BEAR UNDER HER BED.

Miss Wiswell Fainted, But the Remarkable Incident Revealed a New Bruin Trait.

After the late shower had washed the dust from the woodland foliage, Henry Wiswell, of Dedham, Me., went to the hillside pastures for blackberries, taking his rifle along in case he should see the old bear that had been killing sheep and scaring the women and children in three townships. He had reached a thicket, and was filling his pail rapidly, when a fat cub darted from under an overturned tree and started to run for the woods. Wiswell had been looking for a young bear for



LOOKED UNDER THE BED.

some years, believing he could train it and make it do duty in place of a watchdog. So he ran out beyond the cub and picked it up in his arms. The little fellow screamed at the top of his voice and scratched and bit furiously in order to get away.

Before Wiswell had cuffed and choked the cub into submission there came an answering roar from the woods, and the mother bear rushed to the defense.

Wiswell, who was not a fighter, fled in terror. The cub, however, was not so easily frightened. It followed him and pined for it with its teeth and claws, and he ran his rifle and watched. The mother eventually had been driven from the scene, and the cub was left alone. Wiswell gave a harder squeeze with his knees, and, as the cub made his agony known by loud howls, the mother threw her caution away and rushed on until a rifle ball, hitting her in the mouth, finished her career.

The Wiswell home is a small one. There are two rooms on the first floor, one of which Wiswell's unmarried sister occupies as a sleeping apartment. After the old bear's skin had been treated with alum, salt and red pepper, to keep out the moths, it was spread on the floor by the side of Miss Wiswell's bed. One night after the captured cub had been chained in the barn until it was tame enough to take its food from the hand, Miss Wiswell found a surprise awaiting her when she entered her bedroom. In conformity to a custom which she had followed every night for 20 years, Miss Wiswell looked under the bed to see if there was a man concealed near the wall. She was greatly shocked when, instead of the long-expected man, she saw something big and black and hairy staring about on the bearskin mat. The wife screamed, and then fell on the bed in a faint. When her mother had brought her round again, and she had told her story, he made a little investigation on his own account, pulling out a young bear from below the bed.

It was the mate to the captive cub, and it had smelled out its mother's pelt.

Stamps Imperil Trees.

Botanists and entomologists know that a dead stump, or dead tree, standing near living trees is a source of peril to them, by furnishing a refuge and breeding place for timber borers and other injurious insects. Trees, as well as men, need hygienic surroundings.—Youth's Companion.

Coals of Fire.

Enel—Lottie Totkins said you was too mean to live, 'cause you wouldn't let me play with her.

Fond Mother—And what did you say, Lottie?

"I heaped coals of fire on her head," said I. I hoped her mamma wasn't as mean as you are."—Columbus Journal.

Pesos of Varying Values.

The peso, a silver coin, is the monetary unit in Central America and Colombia, where it is worth 44 cents. The peso of Argentina is worth 96½ cents, the peso of Cuba 92½ cents, and the gold peso of Uruguay \$1.03.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Much Sater.

Impol don't believe I would fancy a party in search of the

AN AFRICAN INCIDENT.

Shipwrecked Passengers Find a Precarious Refuge in a Steamboat Smokestack.

The peril of travel on African rivers is shown in the illustration, which is reproduced from one of the strangest photographs ever taken. The Zambesi river is an African stream which is full



UP IN THE SMOKESTACK.

of sunken rocks and reefs. Recently the passenger steamer Imon struck on a reef in the delta of the river, and with only a moment's notice went to the bottom. The lifeboats were lowered and all the women and children were embarked in safety, but there was no room for six of the male passengers. When the boat went down the smokestack projected several feet out of the water, and the men who were left behind climbed up to the top of this insecure perch and sat there all night, with their feet sticking down inside the stack. They were rescued the next morning by a Portuguese ship which happened to be passing.

Custard Pie Association.

Oxford, Me., has a custard pie association, which meets annually in a hall. The association is composed of men and women who are fond of eating custard pie. The association has a contest between two residents of the town every year. The contest was adjudged to be a success, the association was formed, and everybody else eating custard pie. Secretary John D. Long is a member.

Endured Death's Agonies.

Only a roaring fire enabled J. M. Garretson, of San Antonio, Tex., to lie down when attacked by asthma, from which he suffered for years. He writes his misery was often so great that it seemed he endured the agonies of death; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption wholly cured him. This marvelous medicine is the only known cure for Asthma as well as Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and all Throat, Chest and Lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed. Trial bottles 10c at Lowe & Witherspoon's Drug Store.

The Robinson Thermal bath cabinet opens the pores of the skin and sweats all the poison and impurities out of the blood. Physicians recommend it for the cure of rheumatism, leprosy, colds, kidney, blood and skin diseases, etc. Every disease can be cured or benefited. Take one trial, price \$3.50 to \$12.50. E. F. Earl, state agent. Call at Higbee House, or write. Agents wanted.

NOTICE.

On and after October 25, 1899, we will discontinue giving silverware trading stamps, also the distribution of premiums for the C. B. Barker manufacturing company from our store. Parties having books full will please present them before that time as there will be no premiums to distribute later than this date.

ENDERS & YOUNG, Benton Harbor, Sept. 15, 1924.

"When our boys were almost dead from whooping cough, our doctor gave One Minute Cough Cure. They recovered rapidly," writes P. B. Belles, Argyle, Pa. It cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Heck Court Sewer---Notice. Notice is hereby given that the plat and diagram, profile, specifications, etc., and an estimate of the cost of constructing the proposed sewer in and along Heck Court street, in the city of Benton Harbor, have been recorded in the office of the city clerk of said city, and that the city council and board of public works will meet at the city hall on Monday, October 2, 1899, at 8 o'clock p. m., and will at that time consider any suggestions or objections that may be made by parties interested in respect to such proposed sewer.

Dated Benton Harbor, September 19, 1899.

R. P. O.

Florence Akridge, of Saco, Ga., writes under date of August 15th, 1890:

"I have taken Warner's Safe Cure for a severe attack of kidney trouble with the best possible results. I recommend it to those who are suffering with kidney trouble as the best medicine they can take.

"Mr. L. White, of this place, who was cured by it, recommended Safe Cure as 'the best medicine on earth.'"

TWO BRAVE SCOUTS.

How They Died Almost Together in the Philippines.

Thrilling War Episode Which Made a Strong Impression on Gen. Lawton—A Rare Example of True Courage.

One of the dramatic stories of the war in the Philippines is told in the New York Sun by a young officer, just returned, who was on Gen. Lawton's staff during the Malolos campaign. Lawton related the incident at a gathering of officers in Manila; in his own words it was a thrilling piece of dramatic recitation.

"Soon after leaving Manila," he said, "I entered the enemy's country and was greatly annoyed by their sharpshooters. One morning I had ordered a halt to make a reconnaissance. Sitting on a log some distance in front of where my staff and I were standing I saw a man in civilian's clothes coolly watching the operations. I asked who he was, and one of my staff told me that he did not know, but he had seen the man on the firing line several times, and although he had been frequently ordered to the rear, he as frequently disobeyed the orders. The lieutenant added: 'He has been continuously in front of our lines under fire, but the men can't keep him away.'"

"I ordered the stranger sent to me and said to him: 'Who are you and what are you doing there?' He replied: 'I am an American citizen; my name is Young. I have been a scout in the Indian campaigns in Montana and the Dakotas, and I thought I would come out here and help the boys out a little.' I recalled his name as one of the men who had done gallant work against the redskins, so I asked him if he could pick 20 men like himself from the North Dakota regiment to serve with him as scouts. He said he could, and I at once appointed him chief of scouts at a salary of \$150 a month. On the way to San



LEANING AGAINST THE BANK.

of 30 sidro the enemy had crossed the river on our approach and fired the bridge. "Then Young's men showed their 1893 a settle. The brave fellows waded into the water on either side of the bridge, the ground, using their campaign hats to dip in the water, soon put out the fire on the bridge, while Young and a man named Harrington, his lieutenant, armed only with revolvers, stood in sight on the bridge covering them. The brave officers held the bridge amid a storm of bullets till Young fell, shot through the knee. Harrington ran to his wounded leader and with a pistol in each hand stood over him picking off Filipinos. He held his post till the soldiers came up and carried Young off to the rear. Later Young was sent to the Manila hospital. Then Harrington, at head of his scouts, charged at the nos and drove them out of their es, running far ahead of the reg troops until called back by me, as feared they would be ambushed.

"A few days later Harrington took his men to the front and after a hard march stopped for supper at four o'clock. He sat down, leaning against a bank, and told the men to go ahead and he would come in at mess call. Mess call sounded, but he did not respond, so his men went to look for him. They found him still leaning against the bank, with his head resting on his breast and his rifle lying by his side. A stray mauser bullet had passed through his neck, killing him while he slept.

"The next morning I sent this person to Young in the Manila hospital. Harrington died at four o'clock. Cleaned, a few hours later an order tent with the message

..Ca geon of the hospital:

Bowls at o'clock last night. en had closed their Sets, host the same mo-

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Rarest Bird in Cuba.

The rarest of all birds in Cuba is the ara-tricolor, commonly known as the Cuban macaw. Its habitat is the swamps, and the following general description will illustrate its beauty: Forehead, red, becoming yellowish on top and shading into bright yellow on the neck; back feathers, cinnamon, edged with green; under parts, scarlet, with a dash of orange on the throat; secondary feathers, bright blue on the upper surface, pale brown underneath; legs brown and eyes yellow. Seen in the dusk resting on the lily pads of a swamp, the ara-tricolor is one of the handsomest specimens of the bird life to be found in any land or any clime.—Cuban Letter.

Cheap Rates to Chicago.

The St. Joseph, South Bend & Southern railway company will sell tickets for one fare round trip to Chicago and return account of fall festival and dedication of government building. Selling dates October 2 to 10 inclusive. good returning one day in addition to date of sale with privilege of extension to October 14 upon deposit of 50 cents extra.

For tickets and further information call on James A. Reeves, 3-S agent, 23516

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During the carnival we will make a special effort to entertain all ladies and show them the latest Fall and Winter Styles at prices that will sure to please.

Mme. Parks...

Fashionable Milliner
130 Pipestone St.

An Important Telegram!

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 28.

Messrs. Hipp, Enders & Avery,
Benton Harbor, Mich.

We accept your cash offer for entire stock of this season's made overcoats and ulsters for Thirty-Five Hundred and Seventy Dollars or 6 cents on the dollar. I'll shipped today.

ROSENWALD & WEIL.

The above telegram explains itself, Rosenwald & Weil are among the Best Manufacturers in the country and have decided to retire from the manufacture of overcoats and have closed out every Overcoat remaining in their stock and we are the fortunate ones to take advantage of this rare opportunity. We Will place these Overcoats and Ulsters on the market at prices that knows no competition and our patrons will be given the benefit of this bargain. These coats are all High Grade Coats ranging in prices at Wholesale from \$5 to \$18 and are bargains for any one wishing a good coat at a Low Price. We will open this sale Saturday morning, September 30th and invite the inspection of the public. Those who know the reputation of this concern will best appreciate the effort we are making to give our trade good values at reasonable prices and will take advantage of this sale. This lot consists of several hundred coats which will give you a large variety to select from both in quality and price. This means that you get a first-class garment at wholesale price. Don't lose sight of the fact that we are up-to-date in fine dress suits, business suits and the celebrated Burt & Packard dress shoes and our ONE PRICE method of doing business.

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PRIZES RESCUED FROM THE SOUP.



Benton Harbor Gracefully Grasps Opera House. St. Joseph Pries out Truscott Factory.

CASE DOES NOT APPLY

Attorney Bridgman on the Paving Case.

Where He Says the Trouble Comes In.

Suit Would Be Brought in Federal Court.

Attorney George W. Bridgman, who has been conducting the injunction cases against the city, says that the law and supreme court decision published in the News of Saturday is all very good but it does not apply in the case of the city and the Barber paving company.

If the Barber company was a Michigan corporation, says Mr. Bridgman, then there would be no doubt that in no case could the city at large be held liable for the cost of the paving or any other improvement that the council had decided should be paid by a special assessment. But the paving company is a West Virginia creation and if it brought suit against the city it would be in the federal courts and the supreme court of Michigan would not have a say in the matter.

Mr. Bridgman holds the position that in the federal courts the city at large would be held responsible for the paving. The attorney says that it was upon this fact that the opinion of Judge Coolidge was based.

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Meeting of P. M. Pin

The primary union will meet in the primary room of the Baptist church, Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with program as follows:

Roll call.
Scripture selection.
Devotional exercises led by Brother Hopkins.
Sunday school lesson for October 8—Wilma Merrill.

Paper—Opening and closing exercises—May Bisbee, followed by discussion.

All interested in primary work should be present.

Read Official Carnival Program.

Peach growers should read the ad of the Peach Belt nursery in the carnival program.

Closing Out Sale

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108 Water St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

Closing out my entire stock of ladies' and gents' UNREDEEMED bicycles. Bicycles sold on the installment plan, one-third down, balance weekly payments. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED shot guns, rifles and revolvers. Closing out my entire stock of ladies' and gents' UNREDEEMED watches at prices that will make you buy. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED sewing machines, only four left. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED musical instruments—bajos, guitars, violins, mandolins and one Contra organ. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED men's clothing—of good second-hand winter coats or hats, no old trash in the lot. Closing out my entire stock of a variety of all kinds. Shot gun and rifle powder 25c per pound; loaded paper shells, 10, 12 and 16 gauge, a leader at 40c per box; see my line of smokeless revolver, rifle and gun cartridges. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED golfing bags at 50c on the dollar. Closing out my entire line of fishing tackle, hunting and sporting goods of all kinds. Remember that I have in stock every size of chilled shot and buckshot made on earth.

All kinds of Shot Guns and Rifles to rent by the day or week.

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TOMORROW'S WEATHER

Promises Great Things For the Carnival This Week.

The Carnival Managers Are a Very Happy Lot This Week.

The following is the weather forecast for tomorrow, the first day of the carnival:

"Generally fair and warmer tonight and Tuesday."

The carnival managers from Director General Young down to the mascot of the Evening News band are holding a jubilee all to themselves. This would be the day for church solicitors, canvassers for hospital funds, or the committee wanting donations for the proposed Toledo railroad to call on the members of the committee. This is one day in a thousand.

With fair weather the carnival will be a success such as this city never before enjoyed. Thousands of people will be here and there will surely be a line in the afternoon from 9 o'clock tomorrow to the closing of the carnival late Friday night.

A BAD MAN

Pardoned By the Governor Friday.

Was Sent Up for 25 Years in 1886.

Prisoner of the State, last Friday, was released by the governor.

He was in Van Buren county 1886 and was sent up for life.

At least two men in this city the instances connected with Howard are well remembered. The name Charles Hill and Walter

McCormick, political mass and a light and seriously injured a Deputy Sheriff

armed with a sawed-off shotgun to arrest and when he drew a razor, cut McCormick so seriously that his eyes were exposed. At this time Walter Brown, who now lives in the city, who was an officer, stepped forward and received an ugly blow on the head.

Howard turned and a mob chased him fully a mile and he was captured.

McCormick stood a few feet from Howard when he did the cutting. Howard is a brother to John Howard, an inmate sweep, who was acquitted of the charge of murder in the Benton circuit court last winter.

Papers for sale at this office.

How do you do—



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KNOW THE GRIP

Little Niles' Girl Aids the Officers.

Last Saturday while the residents of Niles were enjoying the street carnival down town the residence of Dr. Harris was entered and \$34 in money, a gold watch, a suit of clothes, a pair of diamond ear-rings and two valuable rings were taken. The thief found a valise belonging to Mrs. Harris and packed his plunder in it. He then went to the express office and sent the grip to E. Barnes Chicago.

During the afternoon the little daughter of Dr. Harris took shelter in the express office on account of the rain and she pointed to the grip sitting in the corner and said: "That is my father's satchel."

When the express train arrived home in the evening the boy told of the robbery she was in the express office and Sheriff Ben Earl telegraphed to the officers in Chicago to arrest the person calling for the grip.

Early yesterday morning a lady called for the grip and the officers followed her to her room on Clark street when they arrested and took her to the Harrison street police station.

In the satchel was all of the property stolen except the \$34.

The officers in Chicago say they know the man and he will be arrested upon sight.

NEW RIFLES HERE.

NAVAL RESERVES WILL HAVE THEM FOR CARNIVAL.

Through the efforts of Senator Blakeslee the Naval Militia Division here expect to have their rifles tonight at their drill at Conkey's hall at eight o'clock.

During a recent visit here the senator made enquiries regarding the progress being made by this organization and was astonished when informed that they had as yet received no rifles and some other equipment. He at once made an appointment with the Military Board when he met in Lansing last week when he presented the facts and told them that this part of the state was paying taxes to support the militia and that this company equipped just as the others in the state and they promised to do so. Rifles were ordered sent here at once which will be replaced by the new ones which are expected to arrive very soon. The boys feel very thankful to Mr. Blakeslee for his attention. In consequence of this the division will parade with rifles during the carnival.

It is expected there will be full attendance at the drill tonight at Conkey's hall.

DAM WILL BE BUILT

Berrien Springs Is Re-joining Today.

A Big Electrical Factory Assured.

River Dam Will Be Built in Spring.

Berrien Springs, Oct. 2.—Dr. Slocum, the representative of a syndicate of capitalists of Pittsburg, Pa., is in the village making definite arrangements for the building of the long talked of dam for this village. The people are jubilant over the prospect and it is now certain that the long promised boom for Berrien is at hand.

Dr. Slocum states that all the power from the dam will be used by a factory manufacturing electrical apparatus, which will be the largest factory in this part of the state. Inside of two weeks hydraulic engineers will be sent here to decide which of the two proposed sites is best adapted to the dam and everything will be put in readiness so that the actual work on the dam will be commenced the first thing next spring.

Berrien Springs today received a proposition of another enterprise, a canning factory with a capital of \$25,000. The village is asked to donate five acres of land and to subscribe for \$5,000 of the stock.

NEW BOAT LINE TO START

W. G. Newland and Fred A. Hobbs Among Incorporators.

The Graham & Morton and the O'Conner transportation companies will next year have competition in their Chicago business. The Benton transportation company is the name of a new corporation just organized that will run a line of steamers between this city and Chicago.

The company has an authorized capital of \$50,000, of which \$25,000 is paid in. The leading incorporators are William G. Newland, who will be the president, Capt. R. C. Britain, who will be the vice president, and Fred A. Hobbs, secretary. Capt. Britain will be general manager.

The company has already purchased the well-known steamer Frank Woods and will add another steamer early in the season.

The incorporators are substantial men who will have the confidence of the community.

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AGAIN SEEKS PEACE.

Commissioner from Aguinaldo Tries to Open Negotiations.

OTIS DECLINES TO TALK OF TERMS.

Regards the Step as an Attempt to Secure Recognition of the Filipino Government—American Prisoners Are Released.

Manila, Oct. 2.—The Filipino peace commission which arrived at the American lines Saturday morning brought a message from Aguinaldo that he be permitted to send a representative of his government to negotiate for peace. Gen. Otis refused the request. There will be another conference.

Otis Won't Negotiate.

Aguinaldo's third attempt to shift his difficulties into the field of diplomacy is a repetition of the other one or two, with an impossible endeavor to obtain some sort of recognition of his so-called government. The Filipino envoys held an hour's conference with Gen. Otis Sunday morning. They brought from Aguinaldo a message that he desired peace and wished to send a civilian governmental commission to discuss the question. Gen. Otis replied that it was impossible for him to recognize Aguinaldo's government in that way. They presented a letter from Aguinaldo as "president of the republic," which was largely a repetition of his recent appeals for recognition. Gen. Otis informed them that, while he was

of sick American troops; and when informed, said he considered it small. He asked a number of questions indicating a hope of anti-imperialist action by the United States congress, and inquired what would be the effect on the national policy if congress should declare itself opposed to the prosecution of the war, and whether anti-imperialist sentiment was growing in the United States. Several inquiries he made also regarding the nature and effect of a joint resolution of congress.

Ready to Surrender.

Washington, Oct. 2.—The war department has received the following from Gen. Otis:

"I have a communication, dated September 12, from Gen. Garcia, commanding all the insurgent troops in eastern Mindanao. In it he expresses the desire to turn the country over to the United States authorities and surrender insurgent arms."

American Prisoners Released.

Manila, Oct. 2.—Gens. Otis, Schwan, Lawton and Bates proceeded to Angeles Saturday, where they conferred with Filipino commissioners as the result of an exchange of communication between Gen. MacArthur and the insurgents.

The insurgent commissioners arrived at Angeles at five o'clock Saturday afternoon and stated that the American prisoners were following.

Shortly after eight o'clock Saturday night the surrender of 14 prisoners was made. All are enlisted soldiers, who were captured in different engagements. Lieut. Gilmore and his crew of the Yorktown were not among the prisoners delivered.

Speak Well of Their Treatment.

The prisoners unanimously praised their treatment. One man said: "We have been given the best the country afforded, fine houses for our quarters, servants, good food, plenty of wine and a money allowance. Aguinaldo visited us and shook hands. Three of the boys refused to shake hands with him." The

America's Work.

There are to-day ministers in the United States who are America's ministry is being used by women as a profession than by law. The great value of women ministers in America is for scattered parts that cannot possibly afford to support a man. They can maintain a woman minister. The chief opposition to women pastors comes from ministers of the poorer and least qualified class. Of course the older and more conservative ministers, bishops and the like, do not look with much pleasure on a woman in the pulpit. But many congregations in the United States are ready for women ministers.—Chicago Chronicle.

Extinguished.

A young and newly married couple were entertaining their friends, and among the guests was one whose continued rudeness made him extremely objectionable to the rest of the company. His conduct, although most unbearable, was put up with for some time, until at supper he held up on his fork a piece of meat, which had been served to him, and in a vein of intended humor, he looked round and remarked: "Is this pig?"

This immediately drew forth the remark from a quiet-looking individual sitting at the other end of the table: "Which end of the fork do you refer to?"—London Spare Moments.

Queen Cook.

"Now that you are about to marry," remarked the fond mamma to her only daughter, "it behooves me to speak plainly. You have had your own way all your life, but now you must end." "Why, mother, I don't want to end," replied the daughter, "I will let me do as I please." "Both of you are sure to be disappointed," said the fond mamma; "but you will have to have a record."—Philadelphia Record.

A Thousand Tongues.

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer of Philadelphia, when Dr. King's New Discovery cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. She says: "After all other remedies and doctors failed it soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the universe. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed to cure all troubles of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles 10c at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store."

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BIG FOUR EXCURSIONS.

Kalamazoo, October 17 to 20, good returning October 21; one fare for the round trip.
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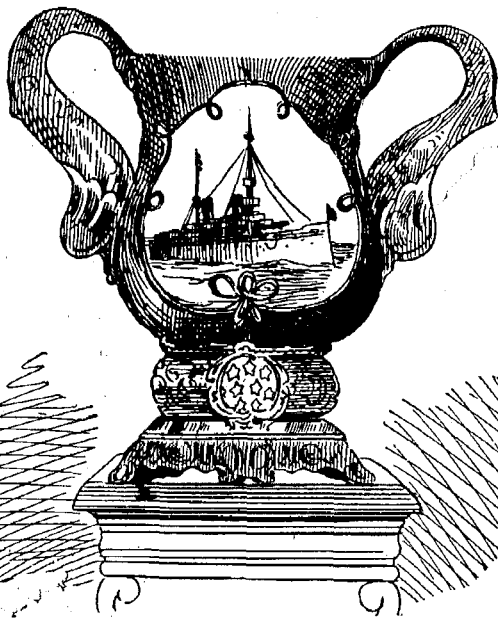
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THE DEWEY CELEBRATION IN NEW YORK.



Gold loving cup presented to Admiral Dewey on Saturday by the people of the city of New York. It is Roman in form and is made of 18-carat gold. The handles are formed of three dolphins, wrought in green gold. Around the neck are 45 stars, emblematic of the union. The body of the cup is divided by the handles into three panels, which are employed for the principal decorations. On the front panel is a portrait in relief of Admiral Dewey, surrounded with a wreath of oak leaves, the whole resting on an eagle with outstretched wings. Underneath this panel upon the band around the foot are the letters: "G. D. U. S. N."

The second panel of the Olympia, and beneath is a shield with four stars, betokening the recipient's grade. On the third panel is an escutcheon upon which is engraved the inscription, with the names of the mayor and members of the municipal assembly and of the committee of plan and scope. The coat-of-arms of the city of New York appears below the inscription. Above the feet are a series of anchors, a rope tied in three knots, dolphins, seaweed and other nautical devices. The cup stands 13 inches high, has a capacity of four and a half quarts and cost \$5,000.

willing to correspond with Aguinaldo as general of the insurgent forces, he must positively decline to recognize him as president of the civil government.

Another conference will be held today. The Filipinos will remain two or three days. Their movements are quite unrestricted, but they are under the constant chaperonage of Capt. Johnson, of the Sixteenth infantry. Sunday they visited the hospitals and distributed money among the wounded Filipinos.

"We desired peace, but peace with independence and honor," said Gen. Alejandrino Sunday. He impresses one as a dignified and dispassionate and as a keen man of the world. He was educated in Europe and designed the remarkable intrenchments from Manila to Tarlac. While reticent concerning his mission, his conversation throws an interesting light on the Filipino view of the American attitude.

Can Continue the War Indefinitely.

"How long can the Filipino army and people withstand 60,000 American troops?" he was asked.

"Fighting in our way, we can maintain a state of war and the necessity for a large army of occupation indefinitely. You Americans are holding a few miles' around Manila, a narrow line of railroad to San Fernando, and you are ignorant of the resources of Luzon. We hold the immense, rich, productive northern country from which to draw. Our people contribute the money and food which maintain our army, and this is done at a minimum of cost. It is an interesting question what the cost to the American people is of maintaining 60,000 American troops in the Philippines, but no, of course, know the amount, to be excessive. We perceive the still learning other hand, a Filipino ex-head resting of rice and a pair of lying by his side, not have to pay our let had passed. Even without him while he arms and ammunition. Next morning your army occupied Pineapple. You people stand it? Clean. A few have no army.

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released soldiers also say that the idea of independence has taken firm hold of the Filipinos, and they threaten, if conquered, to exterminate the Americans by assassination. Aguinaldo seemed popular among all the people the prisoners met. The country, they say, is full of rich crops.

Fire Losses in Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 2.—The large warehouse of the Minneapolis Sash & Door company was destroyed by fire Sunday, entailing a loss to this firm of \$80,000. The adjoining warehouse of the Woodward-Holmes company, manufacturers of wooden and excelsior eave gutters, also burned, causing a loss of \$12,000. Three adjacent dwellings and a store were also destroyed. Fires in other parts of the city caused much other damage, swelling the total loss to at least \$110,000.

Grain Shipped to France.

Philadelphia, Oct. 2.—The first direct shipment of grain to France made in many years left here Sunday on the British steamship Elton, bound to Rochefort. The cargo consisted of 92,529 bushels of oats, valued at \$51,982. It is likely that other shipments will follow, as France is said to be short of all kinds of cereals, as are the countries which supply her.

Big Fire at Bloomington.

Bloomington, Ill., Oct. 2.—The Illinois Cereal company's plant caught fire Sunday night at ten o'clock and the five large buildings were totally destroyed. Loss, \$200,000; insurance, \$150,000. The fire started from a dust explosion. The firm had been running day and night to supply the demand for their breakfast foods in this country and Europe.

The Nile Very Low.

Cairo, Oct. 2.—Reports received here from various points show that the Nile is now at the lowest point of which there is any record. Two hundred and six thousand acres are hopelessly beyond irrigation, and the river is still falling.

Safe Robbed.

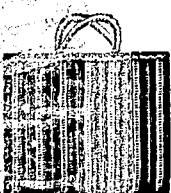
Sedalia, Mo., Oct. 2.—The safe of the Bank of Houstonia at Houstonia, Mo., was blown open by burglars Saturday night. The robbers are reported to have secured \$20,000, but Cashier W. F. Sedalia says the bank lost only \$1,100.

Arbuckle's Coffee

It has set the standard of quality for coffee for the last thirty years. The best claim any competitor can make is that his coffee is "just as good as Arbuckles'."

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The best Coffee is Arbuckles'. The only Coffee to buy is Arbuckles'.
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No. 72 A School Bag.

14 inches wide, 10 inches deep, made of handsome colored netting. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 10 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 74. Noiseless Spring Tape Measure.

Sixty inches long, nickel-plated metal case, well finished. It can be carried in the vest pocket. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 10 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.



No. 76 Lady's Belt Buckle.

Silver plated artistic design. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 8 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 78 An Album of Illustrated Natural History.

Fifty colored pictures of Animals selected for their beauty and rarity. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 10 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

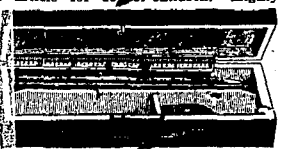
No. 80 A Spring Balance Scale.



Will weigh from one ounce to 20 pounds. Sent by express, charges prepaid by us, on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 200 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee. When ordering name your nearest Express Office as well as your Post Office.

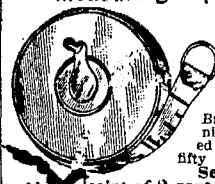
No. 73. Scholars' Companion.

A most useful article for school children. Highly polished wooden box with lock and key, containing lead pencil, pen holder, eraser, ruler.



Sent post-paid on receipt of two cent postage stamp and 15 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 75. A Fifty Foot Measuring Tape.



A very useful article in the household on the farm. Brass case, nickel-plated, fifty feet long. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 15 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 77. Telescope Drinking Cup.

This article is prevented from falling apart by its unique construction. Nickel-plated and highly finished.



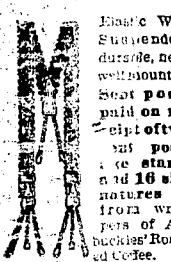
Enclosed in embossed nickel cover no larger than an ordinary watch when telescoped, when extended holds as much as a coffee cup. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 13 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 79. Pepper and Salt Holders.



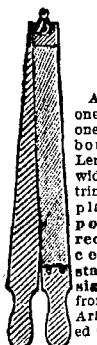
Made of German Silver without seam or joint except where tops screw on and off. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 12 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 81 Men's Suspenders.



Classic Web Suspenders, durable, neat, well-mounted. Sent post-paid on receipt of two cent postage stamp and 16 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 82 Barber Swing Strop.



A double strop, one of leather and one of canvas, bound together. Length, 22 inches, width, two inches, trimmings nickel plated. Sent post-paid on receipt of two cent postage stamp and 12 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 83 A Table Cover.



Kindsome cloth, variegated figured pattern with fringe, 32 inches. Sent post-paid on receipt of two cent postage stamp and 25 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

Any one Book of the following List will be sent post-paid on receipt of a 2 cent postage stamp and 10 signatures cut from the wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

- No. 84 A ONE NIGHT MYSTERY, and two other great Detective Stories, by "OLD SLEUTH."
- No. 85 ADVENTURES OF A BASHFUL BACHELOR, by CLARA AUGUSTA. A birth provoking story.
- No. 86 TEMPEST AND SUNSHINE. A Novel by Mrs. MARY J. HOLMES. The most popular female writer of fiction of the age.
- No. 87 THE SUNNYSIDE COOK BOOK, by Mrs. JENNIE HALLAN. This is one of the most comprehensive, common sense Cook Books ever published.
- No. 88 OLD SECRETS AND NEW DISCOVERIES. This book takes the reader out of the beaten tracks of knowledge, and will be found both entertaining and useful.
- No. 89 THREE THOUSAND THINGS WORTH KNOWING, by R. MOORE, author of "Moore's Universal Assistant." This book is an encyclopedia of highly useful information in condensed form.
- No. 90 THE CITY OF DREADFUL NIGHT, and other stories—by RUDYARD KIPPLING.

No. 91 The First Prayer.



A beautiful imported Picture 15x20 inches in size. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 10 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 92 The First Kiss.



A beautiful imported picture 15x20 inches in size. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 10 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 93 Two is Company.



The original was painted by Percy Moran. This reproduction in 14 printings is a genuine work of art. Size 16x25 1/2 inches. Sent post-paid on receipt of two cent postage stamp and 10 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 94. A Basket of Beauties.

A magnificent picture of Roses by Paul de Longpre, the great painter of flowers. We believe this to be one of the handsomest



flower pictures ever offered to the public. It is 16 1/2 x 25 1/2 inches in size. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 10 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 95 Three Beautiful Flower Pictures.

Each measuring 9 1/2 x 17 inches. The titles are "Summer Fragrance," "A Vase of Lilies," and "Fresh and Sweet." These three pictures all go together, and will be sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 5 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 96. Noah's Ark.

A menagerie, consisting of 12 pairs of Animals—Elephants, Camels, Deer, Horses, Cattle, Donkey, Goats, Lions, Bears, Tigers, Dogs and Cats. Each pair is coupled and stands alone. They are lithographed in many colors on heavy cardboard, cut out and embossed. Every feature of the Animals is distinctly shown. The elephants are 7 inches high and 10 inches long, and the other Animals are proportionately large. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 15 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 97. Eighty-one Gold Eyed Needles.

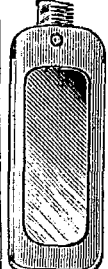


Put up in a pretty morocco case, assorted sizes, and made by the best English manufacturers. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.



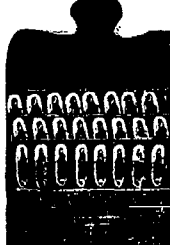
No. 98 Hair Pin Cabinet

A metal box lithographed in colors, containing One Hundred Hair Pins, assorted sizes and styles; straight, crimped and invisible. The different styles are in separate compartments. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 10 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.



No. 99 A Pocket Mirror and Comb.

Set in neat leather combination case, with white metal frame. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 7 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.



No. 100 Safety Pin Book

Contains twenty-four nickel-plated Safety Pins three sizes which enter the shields from either side, requiring no holding when being secured or released. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 8 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

This is a picture of the Signature on Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee Wrapper, which you are to cut out and send to us as a voucher.

No other part of the Coffee Wrapper will be accepted as a voucher, nor will this Picture be accepted as such.

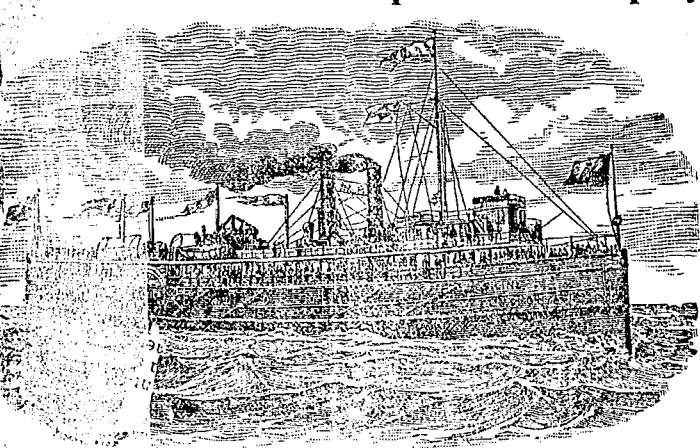
Arbuckle Bros.

SOME OF OUR SIGNATURES ARE PRINTED ON RED BACKGROUND.

This represents one page of a List which is found in each pound package of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee, and with each package in which the List is found the purchaser has bought a definite part of some article to be selected by him or her from the List, subject only to the condition that the signature on the package is to be cut out and returned to Arbuckle Bros. as a voucher, in accordance with the directions printed in connection with each item illustrated and described in the List. This List will be kept good only till May 31, 1900. Another page of this List will appear in this paper shortly.

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Until further notice the steamer City of Milwaukee will make daily trips between Benton Harbor, St. Joseph and Chicago on the following schedule:

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AGAIN SEEKS PEACE.

Commissioner from Aguinaldo Tries to Open Negotiations.

OTIS DECLINES TO, 'S' ALREADY HERE

Tomorrow Benton Harbor street fair and fruit festival opens and everything is in readiness to show the visitors a good time during the entire four days of festivities.

The oldest inhabitant declares pleasant weather all through the carnival and that is the only thing essential to it a success as all arrangements complete and many of the attractions on the ground.

Following is the program for the day:

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3.

9 a. m.—Opening of carnival. Evening News band meets Rogers' band of Goshen at Big Four depot and the consolidated bands of 50 pieces led by the marshal and city police, followed by the various carnival committees and citizens will parade the streets. Blowing of whistles and the ringing of bells all over the city. General celebration 11:00—Prof. Guthrie and wife in their wonderful lightning, double trapeze act.

1:30 p. m.—Prof. Gus Ryan in his wonderful act, "A ride for life," from the top of Hotel Benton.

2:00—Cake walk by Major Eva Pearl Ross and company. Every one of them prize takers, acknowledged the best everywhere.

3:00—Band concerts.

4:00—Balloon ascension by the original Prof. White.

4:30—Trapeze performance by the Guthries.

7:00 to 10:00—Grand electrical display and band concerts.

Home, sweet home, at any old time. For there is a hot time in the old town all the time.

For fine gold fillings call on Burk & Lowery, dentists 12:2

Best teeth \$5, at Burk & Lowery, dentists. 12:2

ST. JOSEPH.

Otto Kraum commenced his duties as clerk in the postoffice this morning.

Tom Warren has returned to St. Joseph and expects to remain here this winter.

Mr. Jacobs lost a valuable horse yesterday. The disease that caused its death, blind staggers, has effected the death of a number of other horses in St. Joseph recently.

Baby Eczema.

Mrs. S. F. Rose, 133 Sixteenth St., Buffalo, N. Y., says: "Our baby boy suffered greatly with itching eczema. A few applications of Dr. Chase's Ointment stopped the itching and healed the sores and a bright natural skin now takes their place." Dr. Chase's Ointment is an absolute cure for all itching, burning skin diseases, and is the world's greatest skin beautifier.

Cheap Rates to Chicago.

The St. Joseph, South Bend & Southern railway company will sell tickets for one fare round trip to Chicago and return account of fall festival and dedication of government building. Selling dates October 2 to 10 inclusive, good returning one day in addition to date of sale with privilege of extension to October 14 upon deposit of 50 cents extra.

For tickets and further information call on James A. Reeves, S-S agent, 23516

For fine bridge work call on Burk & Lowery, dentist. 12:2

No Damage by Fire.

Key West, Fla., has a fire record which no other city in the country can dispute. With a population of over 10,000, the damage by fire since August 1, 1898, will not reach five dollars. In that time the fire engines have responded to two alarms, but in neither case was it necessary for them to play stream of water. This record is made remarkable by the fact that with exception of 12 buildings every house in the city is a frame structure. The loss by fire for the year previous was only \$2,000, and has not averaged \$3,000 since 1886.—Chicago Tribune.

Queer Names of Farms in 1790.

The queer names given to tracts of land by the owners in olden time are illustrated in a conveyance encountered by a clerk in the Baltimore record office recently while engaged in reorganizing the indexes. The deed in question is recorded in liber W. G., No. 60, folio 57. It was executed in 1799, and conveyed from Joshua Stevenson to Richard Gittings five tracts of land in Baltimore county, the consideration being \$10,000. The name of each tract and its dimensions are as follows: "My Sweet My Friend and Pitt," 62 acres; "Is Life Without Love and Love Without Fear," 41 1/2 acres; "The United Discovery," 20 acres; "Hug," 15 1/4 acres, one at a Benson's lot with living question in connection with the Boston troops left a but to a course, k. to a business, excessive. still leanit, an soldier did head resting of rice gr lying by his side, not hav let had passed desire. Ev him while he arms and next morn your army Re next to Your expense the Pine to Your people's Clean a few he have no od commissioner Grosvenor cau- tent's business, the trade against the purchase of geon maintenance extract of vanilla known as Bowls and o'clock in it for uet's concentrated extract of Sets, etc. ost treconition onett Chemical Co., New alled Phil- no said: was furnished to the trade by L. was blown open by night. The robbers are reported to have secured \$20,000, but Cashier W. F. have been lost only \$1,100, now idle

of sick American troops; and when informed, said he considered it small. He asked a number of questions indicating a hope of anti-imperialist action by the United States congress, and inquired what would be the effect on the national policy if congress should declare itself opposed to the prosecution of the war, and whether anti-imperialist sentiment was growing in the United States.

O. B. Hipp is again at the store after a week's illness.

Mrs. Fesscender of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, a guest of her mother, Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Davisson Septem-Duarte, Cal., are guests of Mrs. J. J. J. and all Graham and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nettleton, Odell, Ill., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cady.

Mrs. Sadie Pipp and Mrs. Ch. Schaffer returned from Chicago Sunday morning.

J. F. Nichols and family will move to Bangor next Thursday and will work on a fruit farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Hamlin, of Oelwin, Iowa, are guests of relatives in this city and will remain through the carnival.

Miss Metta Clapsattle of Brantford, Canada, is visiting her cousins, C. W. Shriver and Mrs. J. D. Puterbaugh of this city.

Miss Nettie Scherer is working at the White House this week. She will return to her home in Bainbridge at the expiration of the week.

Miss Barrucker of Chicago, who has been visiting her brother, A. L. Barrucker, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., returned home last night.

Mrs. P. Curran and Miss Nora Cullinane of Silver Creek were the guests of Mrs. J. D. Cullinane and Mr. M. Bumby over Sunday.

Harry Hopkins of the Farmers & Merchants bank left Saturday night for New York where he will remain two weeks. It is quietly hinted that Harry will not return to this city alone.

Rev. George B. Simons expects to leave for Columbus, O., at 3 o'clock tomorrow morning and will take his family horse there to sell. He will not keep a horse in Rock Island this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blackler, who reside at 230 Britain avenue, entertained in a very charming manner last Saturday evening a company of their friends. While the orchestra furnished the music games of various kinds were indulged in and a grand good time was had. Delicious refreshments were served and at a late hour the guests departed.

The marriage of Raymond Moats to Miss Mabel Wheeler was solemnized by Dr. Burton at the home of the bride's parents, 114 Division street, at 6 o'clock Sunday evening in the presence of their nearest relatives, no grand display being made on account of it being Sunday. The bride wore a very neat dress of steel gray broadcloth trimmed in white satin and steel trimming. The maid of honor, Miss Dora Dukeshier was neatly dressed in a suit of gray. Ora Wheeler, a brother of the bride, acted as best man on account of the absence of Will Hull. Mr. and Mrs. Moats are both well known in this city and have the best wishes of their many friends.

Mrs. J. N. Reed gave one of the most delightful luncheons of the season Saturday at 6 o'clock to twenty-five of her friends in honor of her guest, Miss Wey, of Illinois. The rooms were beautifully decorated in carnations and chrysanthemums. Two of the ladies costumed in district school mode afforded much amusement for the party. At luncheon the guests found by their plates quotations, the last word of which was lying on their plates. The commencement of the quotations were given the ladies and they were compelled to complete them from a list of words pinned on the walls. The luncheon, consisting of four courses, was exceptionally fine. Another entertaining feature of the evening was a poem which was given to each of the guests to find titles of popular books of the day. The luncheon was a credit to Mrs. Reed and she proved her exceptional qualities for entertaining.

The Ossoli club will meet Friday at 2:30 for the first time this season with its president, Mrs. John T. Owens.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. Only 25 cents at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

MICHIGAN.

Diphtheria has broken out at Hartford and there is talk of closing the schools.

Mrs. Elizabeth Briggs, of Coloma, weighs nearly 200 pounds. This was too much for the cover of her cistern to bear and it gave way beneath her. She was precipitated into three feet of water and it required several strong men to remove her from her disagreeable position.

Richard Lamb belied his name at Monroe when he went through the town driving his horse at a furious pace and attempting to run down the officers who were trying to arrest him. During the excitement he kept up a fusillade with his revolver and finally galloped out of town. A warrant is out for his arrest.

W. C. Bailey, of India, is visiting at Battle Creek. He is a delegate to the Presbyterian alliance to meet at Washington and is superintendent of missions to lepers. He says there are 200,000 lepers in Japan and about 400,000 each in India and China. He describes them as the most hopeless people on earth and says they can be supported \$30 a year each.

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America's Women
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Fashionable Milliner
130 Pipestone St.

Latest Styles in Lamps

We are just opening our fall stock of lamps, just received from the manufacturers. They are beauties and the latest styles in lamp creation. See our display being arranged for the carnival and come and take your pick before the carnival crowd carries off just the lamp you want.

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**SOCIETY
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J. Stanley Baley is visiting his parents in Kenosha.

Mrs. Frank Blodgett of Chicago, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. J. S. Barker returned from Grand Rapids last evening.

Mrs. Cordie Jinkins is seriously ill at her home on Bishop avenue.

Mrs. C. H. Shaffer of Terre Haute is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Conger.

Mrs. M. Leona Koontz returned to the city yesterday after a six weeks' visit in LaGrange, Indiana.

James Donley of Indianapolis is in the city calling on friends and will remain through the carnival.

Mrs. Addie Rensweger and family of South Bend are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forsyth on Paw Paw avenue.

Robert Meyers of Goshen and Reuben Lee of Chicago are helping Enders & Young during the carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Graves leave the city this month for Florida where they will spend the winter season.

Mrs. F. D. Conger left last night for Fond du Lac, Wis., to attend the wedding of Ira W. Riford to Miss Jennie Ross.

Miss Florence Hoffman left on the evening boat Monday for Chicago, where she will pursue her musical studies at the Moody institute. Rev. and Mrs. Hoffman accompanied her, it being their intention to remain several days in the metropolis before returning home.

Mr. Buchanan, is taking in the city. Mr. Bagley lived in the city for years and takes a great interest in everything going on in the city. He is greatly interested in the city and says that the exertion of THE

Emery (Katie) is here this morning. They are in the theatre and will be there for some time.

A PRETTY WEDDING.

Miss Alice Geer Becomes Mrs. Ira L. Hemingway.

Miss Alice L. Geer and Ira L. Hemingway of this city were united in marriage this afternoon at 2:30, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Geer, on Bellevue street. The officiating clergyman was, Rev. O. H. Perry of the Methodist church of Galesburg. Rev. Mr. Cady of the Congregational church assisted in the service. Ray Hemingway, brother of the groom, acted as best man and Miss Lena Hawley was the bridesmaid.

The bride was gowned in a mauve colored poplin with crimson velvet and chiffon trimmings and the bridesmaid in silver gray with white trimmings.

The ceremony was performed under a bower made of white ribbons, carnations and Chinese matrimony vine. None but the close relatives of the families of the contracting parties were in attendance.

After the service and congratulations a sumptuous wedding dinner was served. A trip to Kalamazoo had been planned by the young couple, but on account of the carnival Mr. Hemingway was unable to get away and they went directly to their rooms in the Yore block, where they will be at home to their friends in the future.

Many valuable presents were received. A notable incident of the occasion was that this day happened to be the sixtieth wedding anniversary of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barrick, of Albion. Mr. Barrick was present at the wedding, but that pleasure was denied Mr. Barrick on account of illness. It was also the date of the Rev. Mr. Perry's sixtieth wedding anniversary and the occasion proved a doubly pleasurable one.

ST. JOSEPH

Miss Edith Hawkins of Chaffeeville, who has been visiting Lola Hummiston, left for her home via Chicago last night.

Father Gore has discovered that Chaplain Reany of the Olympia is an old schoolmate of his, they having been raised together from childhood up and graduated from the same university.

The valuable horse belonging to A. Vincent ran away yesterday while Mr. Vincent was in the country and smashed the buggy in a bad shape. The horse ran into a barbed-wire fence and cut itself quite badly.

It is thought that Rev. James J. Gore will be released from St. Joseph's church at his own request on account of ill health and that he will take two or three months' vacation if granted. He has been in the service for thirteen years with no vacation.

Richard Gallanger, who has the contract for painting and repairing the interior of the Methodist church, expects to complete the work in three weeks. Experts from Grand Rapids claim it is one of the finest jobs they have ever seen.

W. F. Ludemann, who has been employed as clerk in O'Hara & O'Hara's law office for some time, left yesterday for Nebraska University where he will continue his law studies, being graduated from the university next May. After graduation he will settle down in Nebraska.

President Accepts.

Washington, Oct. 3.—The president on Monday was formally invited to attend the fall festival in Chicago and accepted the invitation, which was extended by a committee of Chicago citizens. The committee assured the president that all the people of Chicago were united in extending the invitation. Mr. Gubbins spoke especially in behalf of the Bricklayers' union. He took occasion to refute the charge that the election of Mr. McKinley as an honorary member of the committee had been intended to embarrass the president, saying that such intention had not entered the minds of the members of the union.

Endurance No Longer a Virtue.

A janitor in a neighboring school threw up his job the other day. When asked what was the trouble he answered:

"I'm honest and I won't stand being slurred. If I find a pencil or handkerchief about the school when I'm sweeping I hang it up. Every little while the teachers or some one that is too cowardly to face me gives me a slur."

"In what way?" asked an officer.

"Why, a little while ago I saw written on the board: 'Find the common multiple.' Well, I looked from cellar to garret and I wouldn't know the thing if I met it on the street. What made me quit my job? Last night in big writin' on the blackboard, it said: 'Find the greatest common divisor.' Well, I says to myself, both them darned things are lost now, and I'll get blamed for swiping 'em, so I'll quit."—Steuben Republican.

Good Dinners.

The ladies of the Christian church are serving meals in the store room of Stevens block next to Miller's meat market, and invite their friends to call. People served on the second and third floors.

Prisons of Tobolsk.

Tobolsk has four great prisons built of massive stone. The fortress prison has lately been the scene of many improvements, and only the incorrigible prisoners are doomed to solitary cells, the others being engaged in carpentering and cloth and shoemaking. In the forwarding prison are the exiles to Siberia, whose destination is some 2,000 miles further on. As many as 15 prisoners are lodged in a cell, but as the rooms are light and airy this is not so bad as it might be. No furniture except rough planks is visible. There is a Turkish bath each prisoner may enjoy once a week.

Some of the prisoners are men whose only offense was they were found in Russia without passports and therefore were exiled. The food is coarse, but clean. In summer the prisons are tolerable places, and no hardships are visible, but in winter affairs take on a new complexion. The peasants manage to keep warm at home by sleeping on their brick stoves; in prison they have no stoves, and so forego all thought of fresh air and crowd into one room to keep warm. The atmosphere would poison most people.—St. Louis Republic.

Proper Precautions.

Mr. Ward Heel—Booze has promised me that if I help to nominate him he will give me a job.

Mrs. Ward Heel—Is this man Booze sure of getting it?

"Not by any means; old Sly Dog is running against Booze."

"And if Slydog gets it?"

"I'll be all right, anyhow. I'm under contract to help nominate both of them on the same terms."—Ohio State Journal.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50c, guaranteed at Lowe & Wither- spoon's drug store.

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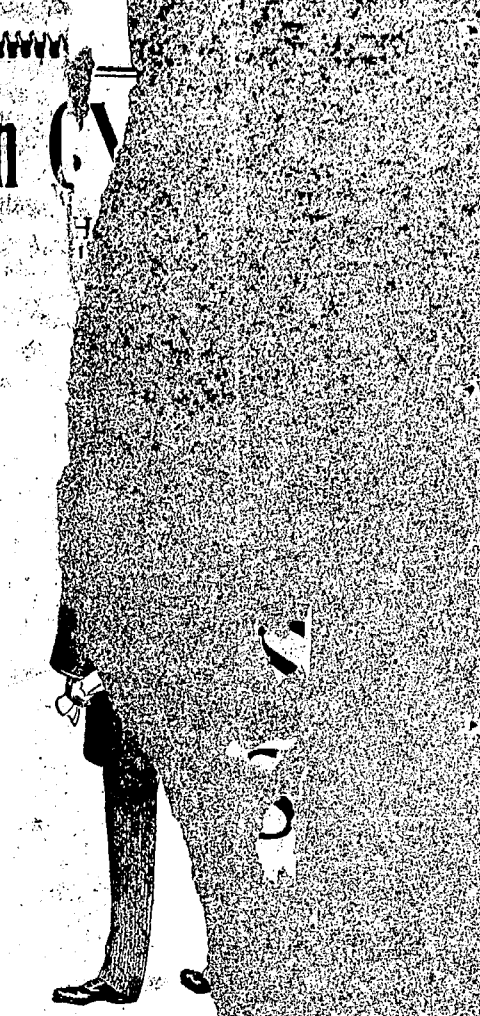
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